

21 Rec'd PCT/PTO 26 SEP 1995

08/532729

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Stephen D. Dunmead et al.

Attorney's Case No.: C-40,076A

Filed: Concurrently Herewith

For: ALUMINUM NITRIDE, ALUMINUM NITRIDE CONTAINING
SOLID SOLUTIONS AND ALUMINUM NITRIDE COMPOSITES
PREPARED BY COMBUSTION SYNTHESIS

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING
DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS
FIRST CLASS MAIL WITH SUFFICIENT POSTAGE IN AN ENVELOPE
ADDRESSED TO: COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS,
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231, On
September 26, 1995
DATE OF DEPOSIT
Karen A. LaCroix
PRINT OR TYPE NAME OF PERSON SIGNING CERTIFICATE
Karen A. LaCroix
SIGNATURE OF PERSON SIGNING CERTIFICATE
September 25, 1995
DATE OF SIGNATURE

Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

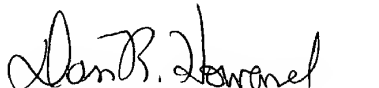
Sir:

ASSOCIATE POWER OF ATTORNEY

In the matter of the above-identified patent
application, please recognize Gary C. Cohn, Registration
No. 30,456, as Associate Attorney with full power of
substitution and revocation, to make alterations and
amendments therein, and to transact all business in the
Patent and Trademark Office in connection therewith.

Please direct all future communications to
Stephen S. Grace, The Dow Chemical Company,
P. O. Box 1967, Midland, Michigan 48641-1967 with direct
telephonic communications to Gary C. Cohn at (517)-636-
2464.

Respectfully submitted,



Dan R. Howard
Registration No. 30,070
Address: P. O. Box 1967
Midland, Michigan 48641-1967
Phone: 517-636-2468

September 25th, 1995

KJN/kal